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FM AMEMBASSY BOGOTA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 1204

AMEMBASSY BRASILIA IMMEDIATE

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BRASILIA FOR FISHLOW

EO 11652: NA

TAGS: ETRD CO

SUBJ: TRADE TALKS - COLOMBIA

REF: STATE 236422

1. FOLLOWING IS PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE FOR TRADE TALKS BASED
ON AMBASSADOR'S CONVERSATION WITH DEVELOPMENT MINISTER JORGE
RAMIREZ:

- A. OCT 10 - 3:10PM -US PARTY ARRIVES BOGOTA.
ECONOMIC COUNSELOR MELVIN SINN
CONTROL OFFICER FOR VISIT WILL
MEET AND ASSIST.
- B. 4:00 PM - ARRIVE AT HOTEL TEQUENDAMA.
- C. 5:00 PM -FIRST MEETING AT INCOMEX. EVENING FREE.
- E. OCT 11 - 9:30 - SECOND MEETING AT INCOMEX (ADDITIONAL
MEETINGS IN AFTERNOON IF NEEDED).

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- F. 1:00 PM - LUNCH HOSTED BY GOC.

- G. 4:00 PV - LANDE DEPARTS.
- H. 7:30 PM - COCKTAIL BUFFET AT SINN'S RESIDENCE.
- I. OCT 12 - 10:30 AM - PARTY DEPARTS.

2. COLOMBIAN PARTICIPANTS WILL INCLUDE:

JORGE RAMIREZ - DEVELOPMENT MINISTER (FIRST SESSION ONLY)
ALBERTO GALEANO- DIRECTOR, INCOMEX (CHIEF OF GOC GROUP IN
ABSENCE OF MINISTER.)
RAUL GUTIERREZ- CHIEF OF TRADE POLICY - OFFICE INCOMEX.
ALBERTO SCHLESINGER - CHIEF OF FOREIGN TRADE OFFICE,
DEVELOPMENT MINISTRY.
ENRIQUE WHITE - CHIEF OF EXPORT DIVISION, INCOMEX.
OCTAVIO FLORES - ASSISTANT DIRECTOR FOR DEVELOPMENT PROEXPO
(EXPORT PROMOTION AGENCY).
REPRESENTATIVE OF FOREIGN RELATIONS MINISTRY (PROBABLY
EDUARDO SARROTE - DEPUTY DIRECTOR, ECONOMICS AFFAIRS)

3. INCOMEX WILL PROVIDE INTERPRETERS

4. MINISTER AGREED TO DISCUSS MTN AS FIRST ITEM ON AGENDA.
HE HAD NO SUGGESTIONS FOR ADDITIONAL ITEMS. MINISTER ALSO
SAID THAT THEY WERE PREPARING VIEWS ON GSP - PROPOSED PRODUCTS
WHICH WERE SUBJECT OF PUBLIC COMPLAINT. MINISTER INFORMED
OF US LAW BANNING IMPORTATION OF PRISON-MADE GOODS PER STATE
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